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From: Peak, Nicholas [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=929DF8C22E554FB89F9B0850729E1A51-PEAK, NICHOLAS]
Sent: 2/25/2020 4:50:48 PM
To: Jencius, Michele [jencius.michele@epa.gov]; Potokar, Steven [Potokar.Steven@epa.gov]
CC: Lopez, Maria [Lopez.Maria@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

I think it's time to close it out.

Nick Peak
Agriculture Advisor
EPA, Region 10
208-378-5765
peak.nicholas@epa.gov

From: Jencius, Michele <jencius.michele@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 8:54 AM
To: Potokar, Steven <Potokar.Steven@epa.gov>; Peak, Nicholas <Peak.Nicholas@epa.gov>
Cc: Lopez, Maria <Lopez.Maria@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Steven and/or Nick: Can Idaho close this out?

Sincerely,
Mickey

Michele Regan Jencius
EPA Region 10 | Seattle, Washington
206.553.1648

From: Lopez, Maria <Lopez.Maria@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2020 7:50 AM
To: Peak, Nicholas <Peak.Nicholas@epa.gov>; Potokar, Steven <Potokar.Steven@epa.gov>
Cc: Jencius, Michele <jencius.michele@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Hello,

Can you let me know if Brynn can close out this complaint. See ISDA's response. If additional information is required, let me know so that I can loop back with IDEQ.

Maria

From: Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov <Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2020 8:45 AM
To: Lopez, Maria <Lopez.Maria@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Maria,

Please see ISDA's follow up on the complaint related to discharge from Desert Canyon Ranch. Let me know if you need any additional info.



Brynn M. Lacabanne, GISP | IPDES Compliance and Enforcement Supervisor
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From: Mitchell Vermeer [<mailto:Mitchell.Vermeer@ISDA.IDAHO.GOV>]
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2020 8:34 AM
To: Brynn Lacabanne
Subject: RE: {External}FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Hey Brynn,

I wanted to follow up with you on this complaint. My inspectors went out to this facility and found only a few head of cattle at this location. They did have a small runoff catch basin that bordered a nearby canal, but it was currently empty. There was a drainage pipe located within the catch basin that went into the canal. We issued a corrective action and told him he would need to remove the drainage pipe and if they were to discharge from it they may be designated a significant contributor by ISDA.

From: Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov <Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov>
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 2020 8:39 AM
To: Mitchell Vermeer <Mitchell.Vermeer@ISDA.IDAHO.GOV>
Subject: RE: {External}FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Thanks!

From: Mitchell Vermeer [<mailto:Mitchell.Vermeer@ISDA.IDAHO.GOV>]
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 2020 8:31 AM
To: Brynn Lacabanne
Subject: RE: {External}FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Brynn,

Someone will be out there this morning and I will let you know what we find out as soon as possible.

Thanks

From: Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov <Brynn.Lacabanne@deq.idaho.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Mitchell Vermeer <Mitchell.Vermeer@ISDA.IDAHO.GOV>
Cc: Lopez.Maria@epa.gov; peak.nicholas@epa.gov; potokar.steven@epa.gov
Subject: {External}FW: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

Hi Mitch,

The Boise Regional Office received the complaint below related to runoff from a feedlot that may be entering a canal and draining into the Payette River. I've spoken with Maria Lopez over at EPA, and we'd appreciate if you could follow up on the complaint and report back to us with your findings.

Please let me know if you need additional info or if there's anything we can do to assist. If you'd like for one of the regional compliance officers to tag along, I'll put you in touch with the region. Thanks!



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From: Complaint Tracker [<mailto:noreply@deq.idaho.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 12, 2020 1:43 PM
To: James Craft; Brynn Lacabanne; Valerie Greear; Lance Holloway
Subject: Complaint Tracker - COMPLAINT #: 160651

ComplaintId: 160651
Status: Open
Recorded date and time: 2/12/2020 1:30:00 PM (Mountain Time)
Recorder name: Craft, James
Kept anonymous: Yes
Enforcement confidential: No
Complainant name: Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) / Ex. 7(D)
Complainant address:
Complainant phone: Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) / Ex. 7(D)
Complaint against: Desert Canyon Ranch
1990 E Black Canyon Hwy 83617

Problem description:

Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) / Ex. 7(D) reported that runoff from feedlots enters nearby irrigation canal (North Side Main Canal which eventually drains back to Payette River). Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) / Ex. 7(D) said he saw recent runoff occur on Sunday 2/9/2020. Pictures taken by Ex. 6 PP / Ex. 7(C) / Ex. 7(D) are attached showing where runoff would occur from corrals to canal.

Problem location notes:

Desert Canyon Ranch
Feedlot
1990 E Black Canyon Hwy 83617

Completed date:

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